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| For: | HIGH-PERFORMANCE LOCATION MANAGEMENT PLATFORM |) | |
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**MARKED-UP COPY OF PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT TO THE
SPECIFICATION**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In compliance with 37 CFR § 1.121, Applicants hereby submit the following marked-up copy of the revisions made to the specification by way of a Preliminary Amendment.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

The specification was amended as follows:

The heading “CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS” and associated text has been deleted and replaced with the following language:

CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Patent Application Serial No. 60/209,460, filed June 5, 2000 (Attorney Docket No. 87711.104700), U.S. Provisional Patent Application Serial No. 60/270,919, filed February 22, 2001 (Attorney Docket No.

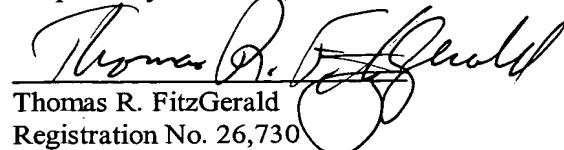


128400), and U.S. Provisional Patent Application Serial No. 60/231,900, filed
September 11, 2000 (Attorney Docket No. 87711.124900).

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